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Examiner	:	Lena Najarian
Docket No.	:	706737.48

Remarks/Arguments

Favorable reconsideration of this application is requested.

By the present amendment, the problem with the reference numbers 103C and 106B has been corrected, and with apologies to the Examiner because the undersigned had reviewed the originally filed drawings, not those subsequently added. It is believed that the numbering problem now is properly corrected.

Claims 11, 12, 14, 15 and 18 have been amended to more precisely define the present invention. It is submitted that the present claims are allowable and that provisionally withdrawn Claims 21 – 35 should be allowed because it is believed that linking Claim 20 is allowable.

It is again submitted that the combination of the three references by the Examiner is inappropriate inasmuch as there would be no incentive nor suggestion to combine the diverse teachings of these three patents. As noted earlier, the principal reference to Momich is directed to a package with an integrated circuit chip imbedded therein and the use of the package of medicine. On the other hand, Engel is directed to selling healthcare services to a patient and is not at all similar to the present system or method. Finally, Walker is certainly not in any way similar nor related to the other two references inasmuch as it is directed solely to a business form and stick-on labels.

Furthermore, there is certainly no suggestion of a system involving a plurality of immunization providers each having a reader for obtaining the product data from the read/write communications device and for storing personal immunization records on respective immunization cards as set forth in amended Claim 11.

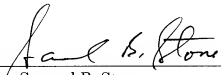
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In view of the foregoing, favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims is requested. A Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required in connection with this Amendment to deposit account No. 15-0665.

Respectfully submitted,
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